ACRONYMS

best management practice – BMP
biological nutrient removal — BNR
concentrated animal feeding operation — CAFO
Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program — CREP
Conservation Reserve Program — CRP
Conservation Security Program — CSP
enhanced nutrient removal — ENR
Environmental Quality Incentives Program — EQIP
Environmentally Sensitive (Site) Design — ESD
equivalent dwelling unit — EDU
Low Impact Development — LID
Low Interest Loans for Agricultural Conservation Program — LILAC
Maryland Agricultural Water Quality Cost-Share Program — MACS
Maryland Department of Agriculture – MDA
Maryland Department of Natural Resources — DNR
Maryland Department of Planning – MDP
Maryland Department of the Environment — MDE

Maryland Water Quality State Revolving Loan Fund — WQSRF

milligrams per liter — mg/l

municipal separate storm sewer — MS4

National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System — NPDES

Natural Resource Conservation Service — NRCS

Nutrient Management Plan Implementation — NMPI

Rural Abandoned Mine Program — RAMP

Total Maximum Daily Load — TMDL

U.S. Department of Agriculture – USDA

U.S. Department of Agriculture Agricultural Research Service — USDA ARS

U.S. Department of Agriculture Cooperative State Research, Education, & Extension Service — USDA CSREES

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency – EPA

wastewater treatment plant - WWTP

Wetland Reserve Program – WRP